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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In connection with the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed July 20, 2001, Applicant respectfully submits the following Preliminary Amendment. A Petition for a four-month Extension of Time for Response, up to and including January 20, 2002, is submitted herewith. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the Amendment before the calculation of filing fees, and before examination of the application.